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FROZEN COOKED DICED CHICKEN, INVITATION NO. 002, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-239

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell frozen cooked diced chicken meat produced from fowl as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Aug. 21. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Aug. 25. Deliveries are to be made from Oct. 16 to Oct. 31.

Offers are invited from the trade for frozen cooked diced chicken meat, produced from ready-to-cook fowl (a class of mature female chickens), packed in four 10-pound (4.54 kg) packages to a net weight of 40 pounds (18.14 kg) in each shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,000 shipping containers totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. **Note that some item numbers and the associated quantities for frozen cooked diced chicken have been set aside for small business concerns and are indicated by a single asterisk.** Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-239, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Cooked Diced Chicken dated July 1999, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, P.O. Box 96456, Washington, D.C. 20090-6456, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>. The Electronic Bid Entry System is available for submitting offers at <http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-239, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings,

changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

ANNOUNCEMENT: PY239
 INVITATION : 002
 COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
 COMM TYPE : 21 CHICKEN, DICED, FROZEN
 PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)	
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/00 - 10/31/00					
001	EAST HARTFORD	CT	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
002	SPRINGFIELD	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
	WILMINGTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
003	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	* SET ASIDE
004	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
005	SUNBURY	PA		40,000	
006	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
007	YORK	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	*SET ASIDE
008	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	80,000	
009	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
010	ATLANTA	GA		30,000	*SET ASIDE
	MACON	GA		10,000	*SET ASIDE
011	CYNTHIANA	KY	TRUCK ONLY	23,520	
	LOUISVILLE	KY	TRUCK ONLY	16,480	
012	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	18,200	
	SOMERSET	KY	TRUCK ONLY	21,800	
013	SMYRNA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	*SET ASIDE
014	KALAMAZOO	MI	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
015	DAYTON	OH		80,000	
016	EAU CLAIRE	WI		30,000	*SET ASIDE
	MADISON	WI		10,000	*SET ASIDE
017	MADISON	WI	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
	MILWAUKEE	WI	TRUCK ONLY	20,000	
018	JACKSON	MS		25,840	
	LITTLE ROCK	AR		14,160	
019	LITTLE ROCK	AR	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	*SET ASIDE
020	ALEXANDRIA	LA		20,000	*SET ASIDE
	BATON ROUGE	LA		20,000	*SET ASIDE

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021	GRAMBLING	LA	TRUCK ONLY	13,320	
	HARAHAN	LA	TRUCK ONLY	26,680	
022	ALBUQUERQUE	NM		40,000	
023	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	
024	PUEBLO	CO	TRUCK ONLY	80,000	
025	DES MOINES	IA		40,000	*SET ASIDE
026	SIOUX FALLS	SD		40,000	
027	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000	

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,200,000

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Contracting Officer

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